

Child Welfare Medicaid Managed Care Advisory Workgroup

**Department of Healthcare and Family Services
401 S. Clinton
7th Floor Videoconference Room
Chicago, IL**

**201 S. Grand Ave.
1st Floor Video Conference Room
Springfield, IL**

Date: March 12, 2020

Time: 4:00p.m.

NOTES

MEMBERS PRESENT (in person)	MEMBERS PRESENT (via phone)	MEMBERS ABSENT
Elizabeth Nelson (for Kelly Cunningham)	Anika Todd	April Curtis
Jamie Dornfeld	Ashley Deckert	Arrelda Hall
Lauren Tomko	Audrey Pennington (for Raul Garza)	Director Marc Smith
Patrick Lindstrom (for Laura Ray)	Carol Sheley	Director Theresa Eagleson
	Desiree Silva	Dr. Marjorie Fujara
	Cheryl Fisher (for Tracy Johnson)	Gregory Cox
	Deb McCarrel	Helena Lefkow
	Dr. Michael Naylor	Josh Evans
	Kristine Herman	Judge Erick Sanders
	Royce Kirkpatrick	Julie Hamos
	Trish Fox	Kara Teeple
		Kathleen Bush

I. Welcome and Call to Order

The meeting was called to order. Roll call was completed for workgroup members. A quorum was not present, so these notes serve as a record of the discussion that took place.

II. Review of Minutes

The minutes from the March 5 meeting were unable to be approved, as a quorum of members was not present to vote.

III. Update on Implementation

Cheryl provided the following update for YouthCare progress.

Youth in Care:

Of the initial priority groups of youth in care who were identified as having a high level of need, 96% have received health risk screenings.

As for the rest of the youth in care population, as of 03/12/20 nearly 10,000 health risk screenings have been completed thus far for current youth in care, from a total of over 53,000 outbound calls were made by health care coordinators.

For former youth in care, who were enrolled in managed care on February 1, 36,000 outbound calls have resulted in a total of 4,300 health risk screenings have been completed.

The target date for “go-live” for current youth in care remains April 1, 2020.

Questions/Comments from Workgroup

Q: How are we doing with getting child psychiatrists in the network?

A: No definite answer or updated information has been provided, but it is something that is constantly being worked towards getting. There is a shortage across the state and so they will keep trying and working on it.

Update on Training

Q: Is the training for workers an online training and how much progress has there been?

It is an online training for workers thru DCFS for DCFS and POS workers. The training rolled out on March 9, 2020 and so far, 1000 workers have taken the training and 300 are about to start the training. A series of follow-ups are coming in the form of Q& A in April and May to collect feedback from people who have taken the training. Supervisors and administrators will also be following up with staff who have completed training.

Questions/Comments from Workgroup

Q: What is being done to reach the foster parents?

A: Text messaging is being sent out to foster parents, and the permanent ID card and member handbook explain services on care coordination, benefits available, and how to contact care coordinators.

IV. Transition Plan

No questions/comments on the plan were provided.

Public Comment

None

V. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned @ 4:26p.

Next Meeting Date and Location: March 19, 2020 4:00-5:00pm, Locations TBA